

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Enter this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven words to the line. Fifty cents buys a good 6 ft. full length rawhide whip at the Tucker Harness Store.

Hammocks at Noyes Drug Store. For sale, 2d-hand upright piano, practically new. Low price. S. D. Andrews. Golf goods at Noyes Drug Store. Smiley Shoe Store will be open Friday evening, May 29, and will be closed all day Saturday, May 30. 21-22

Some excellent values in shirt waists at Thomas Smiley's. Call at the store of Chas. F. Ridlon and try a cup of Sir Thos. Lipton's tea and coffee now being served by Mrs. Florence L. Merritt of New York City. Denta Magenta at Noyes Drug Store. For good rents call on S. D. Andrews. Bargains in ladies' 15c vests at Thomas Smiley's.

Croquet sets at Noyes Drug Store. Fern balls, 25c, at Stone's. For sale at a bargain—a new 1903 bicycle for \$17.00 at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

NORWAY AND VICINITY

N. H. S. 24-B. H. S. 7.

The Bridgton High school team came over Saturday and played base ball with the Norway High school team in the afternoon.

The Bridgton boys stood little show of winning and the game was not close after the first inning.

The score:

NORWAY HIGH SCHOOL.									
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Score by innings.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total.
N.H.S.	1	5	1	3	2	4	5	3	24
B.H.S.	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	4

Scoring bases—N. H. S. 15, B. H. S. 4. 2 base hits—Whitman, Pike, 3 base hits—Pike, Hayes, Home runs—Gannon, Kennison. Bases on balls—Whitman 2, Bryant 4, Kennison 2. Hits by pitched ball—Whitman 1, Bryant 1, Scott 1, Whitman 5, Bryant 5, Kennison 2. Wild pitches—Kennison 2. Errors—Wilson, Armstrong, W. S. Scott, Penney.

The features of the game were heavy hitting by the members of the home team. Kennison of the Bridgtons and Gannon of the Norways each hit home runs placing the ball almost exactly in the same place.

The visitors were clearly out-classed and the game was played in a careless, listless manner.

Saturday, the second team was defeated by Paris Hill second 52 to 3, fourteen scores being made in the first inning.

L. B. Swett is quite sick. Graduation days are drawing near.

Walter Russ was home over Sunday from Auburn.

The shower Tuesday night was a very welcome guest.

Julia Stearns returned Saturday to her home in Lowell.

Arthur Hubbard is fixing up his house quite extensively.

Charles Knight is at work at South Paris in the sled factory.

Mrs. Al Rowe is having her house on Danforth street repaired.

Alma Bicknell moved to Norway.

George E. Walker has been painting his residence on Bridge street.

Mrs. F. A. Cole of Westbrook is visiting Mrs. William Cole, this week.

J. F. Stearns of Lowell has been in town a few days visiting this week.

The Barton reading club met with Mrs. A. S. Kimball this Thursday evening.

Mrs. Godwin of Lewiston spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Dorra Small, and uncle, Timothy Smith.

Steamer Pennesseewassee will make a trip up the lake Tuesday nights at 5.30. Sunday trips at 10, 2 and 5.

Mrs. C. L. Hathaway and Mrs. Lary have been visiting this week, their sister in Otisfield, who is sick.

Dexter A. Cummings and wife of Albany were in town Monday, and A. G. Bean of the same place, Tuesday.

Mina S. Jewett has gone back to Boston, having been summoned to nurse a surgical case of some importance.

The ladies of the D. Aid Association are requested to meet with Mrs. Frank T. Bartlett, Friday evening, May 22.

Major B. F. Bradbury attended the association of military surgeons of the United States in Boston this week.

M. L. Kimball and Alvizle L. Proctor are in Portland, this week, attending the meetings of the Pythian Grand Lodge.

Engine 399 is running on the Norway Branch in place of "Old 400," which is receiving some repairs at the car shops.

Robert Wheeler and wife are here from Mechanic Falls, this week. It is stock taking time in the shoe factory there.

Mr. and Mrs. (nee Anne Cole) Lewis Wilson of Portland have gone to Mexico, where Mr. Wilson has work as a civil engineer.

Mrs. J. D. O'Crain has had a sick time of nearly a couple weeks with acute rheumatism. She is much better at this writing.

W. S. Coan and wife returned to Canton Wednesday morning, after a very pleasant visit of a few days with Mae Grierson.

S. D. Andrews is having an extensive job of repairing and renovating done in the Whitcomb house corner Marston and Beal streets.

Nellie Abbott visited her sister, Mrs. O. L. Stone, on her way to Lewiston after a vacation of two weeks at her home in Bethel.

D. L. Joslyn and A. B. McAllister will go to Bolton's Mills, Sunday next, to hold services in the absence of the pastor, W. H. Barber.

George W. Winslow has been suffering with neuralgia of the stomach for several days. He has gone to Yarmouth for a stay, and C. E. Bradford of South Paris is working in the Hand Laundry.

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Boat House Publicly Inspected.

Tuesday evening, the club room and boat house of Messrs. Tarr and Taylor was opened to the public for inspection, and the new building was visited by a goodly number of people. The building has been undergoing construction during last autumn and winter and is the most prominent object on Water street between the cornish and Cummings' mill.

There are two entrances, one through double doors into the boat room and at the foot of a long but easy flight of steps the other leads into the small building formerly used as the boat house and now joined to the new building.

This room contains a tier of two bunks as well as some other furniture for general use. The next room is suitable for club room, small parties or any similar purpose and is about 25x30. There are five windows on each side, two windows and a door on the water side and on the side toward Water street is a diamond shaped window of colored glass. A balcony hangs over the water and on the western side of the building level with the floor.

From this stairway leads to the boat room underneath and the same size. There are two slips for boats in which at present are lying Mr. Tarr's steam launch and Mr. Taylor's new dory launch. All of these rooms are lighted with incandescent lights. Tuesday evening, Japanese lanterns and colored lights added much to the charm of the place. The main room was trimmed with red and white bunting and upon its highly polished floor, several couples danced to the music of the Norway band which was stationed on the side balcony. Punch and lemonade were at a table where one could help himself.

Return from the West. Horace and Elliott Sanborn returned last week from Arizona, where they have been for the past year and a half, and are planning to establish a business in Portland, manufacturing the Oxford bolt hooks and other loggers' material.

Wednesday afternoon this week Horace Sanborn came to Norway for a visit. He is looking exceptionally well and life in the West appears to have agreed with him. He is spending a few days in Norway calling upon old friends who are delighted to see him.

Fred Stearns was down from Rumford Falls, visiting George Devine over Sunday.

Mrs. Orest Kneeland in Harrison for a week.

Mrs. J. F. Bolster is visiting her former home in Union for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. A. J. Nevers was in Portland over Sunday, visiting her son, Harry Nevers.

Josiah Dudley and wife of Atwater, Minn., are visiting her sister, Mrs. F. Q. Elliott.

The Veranda club meets with Mrs. Freeman Richardson, this Thursday afternoon.

Judge H. C. Davis has given his office and the court room a thorough cleaning this week.

N. S. Tibbets, wife and children of Auburn visited at George W. Locke's over Sunday.

Hosae McKay returned, Tuesday, from an extended visit to Boston, Haverhill and Lawrence.

Mrs. Mary Stearns is having an entirely new coat of shingles laid upon her house on Main street.

The Paris High school and Norway High school will play Saturday, May 23, at the Fair Grounds.

Mrs. Felix Bouliou went to the hospital in Lewiston, Saturday for treatment for appendicitis.

Sadie Ellen Kimball has been appointed postmistress at Chatham, N. H. Miss Kimball graduated at Norway high school, June 8, '00.

The class of '03, Norway high school, will be remembered as having more boys than girls. Of late years the girls have predominated in the struggle for knowledge.

The fame of Col. A. M. Dunham's handiwork has gone abroad. Tuesday he received a request for prices and description of his snowshoes from Germany.

Ralph Hemmingway, son of C. A. Hemmingway of this place, has been very sick with pneumonia at Rumford Falls. He is much improved at last accounts.

Frank Williams went to the hospital at Lewiston Saturday. He was accompanied by Julian Brown. Mr. Williams' health has been very poor for several months.

Mrs. Joseph Wallbank of Keene, N. H., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence P. Levercutt. Louis Foster of Salem, Mass., has also visited there a few days this week.

At the Baptist church next Sunday morning there will be special music with Prof. Carl Jean Tolman organist. Sermon by the pastor; theme, "Jesus of Solomon—Which?"

Marion F. Libby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Libby, entertained twenty of her friends, May 11, to celebrate her tenth birthday. Games were played and ice cream and cake were served.

C. F. Small and grandson, Gerald McAllister, of East Stoneham visited this week. Mrs. Percy Nevers, this week. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Moody of East Stoneham visited at Mr. Nevers' over Sunday.

The Baker and Jewett lots in Pine Grove cemetery are being reduced in size to the level of the water. This is the method of grading that is in vogue now and is preferred for many good reasons.

Oxford Castle, K. G. E., have leased Ryerson hall and are to have it neatly fitted up for the work of the lodge and order. Meetings are held alternate weeks, the next one being this Thursday evening.

Capt. J. Waldo Nash secured the job of mounting the fish exhibit at the Louisiana exposition at St. Louis for the State of Virginia. The exhibit will comprise 250 different species. Two or three prize fish have already been sent to the studio. Capt. Nash has been home from Haines' Landing for a few days.

Plans for the Fourth.

The soliciting committee for the Fourth of July celebration are calling on the citizens of Norway for subscriptions and are meeting with gratifying success. There has been a pleasing readiness to contribute and if the other citizens to whom the paper will be presented, respond as liberally as others have done, the success of the movement is assured.

The plans call for the raising of about \$500 in order to have a celebration that shall be creditable to the place. While not definitely formulated the plans are for a fantastic parade in the morning; also merchants' parade with automobile section, pony teams, hose teams and many other features, to be headed by the band; a large number of athletic sports and team race and hose coupling contest, with first works in the evening. A ball game and perhaps a few races may be arranged at the Fair Grounds but practically all of the features will be presented upon the streets of the village.

Mothers' Club.

The mothers' club met with Mrs. D. L. Jocelyn. There were not many in attendance but the afternoon was enjoyed by those present.

Readings were given by Mrs. Stiles, Mrs. Frost, Mrs. Bicknell and Mrs. Cotton. Mrs. Jocelyn sang two solos. As the weather is becoming warmer here and there, it was voted to have the next meeting the annual meeting of the club. This will be at the home of Mrs. M. P. Stiles and all members are asked to be present. Wednesday, May 27, is the date and the time 2.30 p. m.

V. W. Hills is having his residence on Cottage street repainted.

Tonsillitis is common in the village at present. Several have had it quite severely.

Harry E. Little son of Frank W. and Jennie A. Stiles, died Wednesday last week from hemorrhage of the lungs. He was nearly eight years old and had been subject to these hemorrhages for some time. The burial was at Bethel.

Tuesday, there were eighteen less rats in town than there were the day before. Seventeen of them of varying sizes, and ages were caught in a box trap, Monday night, by George F. Hathaway, and another trap also secured a victim. Here's hoping many more may have as good luck.

The moon changed, Tuesday night—and the rain came. All are anxiously waiting for the moon to change to a little more. It is now remembered that last year gave us a rainy May and everybody kicked. It looks as though the street sprinklers would earn their money this year. Another little shower, Wednesday noon.

Owing to the continued dry weather and the low state of Lake Pennesseewassee, patrons of the Norway Water Company are requested to be as economical as possible in the use of hose. Under no circumstances should the hose be used more than two hours daily. Care now on the part of all concerned may save much trouble later.

A strawberry festival will be held at Concert Hall, this Thursday evening, the members past and present of class No. 3 of the Sunday school being the originators and servers. "Strawberries in many forms will be served at the supper and an entertainment will follow. The Thomas J. Lipton Company have donated the coffee that is to be served.

The Veranda club have an entertainment, May 23, at G. A. R. hall at 3 p. m. Ice cream and cake on sale afternoon and evening. A ticket will be given each purchaser of one, which will entitle the holder to one, chance on the doll on exhibition in one of the store windows. The album quilt will be disposed of in the evening. In the afternoon admission will be free.

Dr. Harry Chase of Haverhill, Mass., was in the village last week, and returned Monday. He came to see the aunt living on Paris Hill. Dr. Chase's health is not good and it is doubtful, unless her health improves, if she comes to Norway this summer as has been her custom since moving away from here.

Mrs. Chase was in the millinery business here a long time and few have as large acquaintance in this town and vicinity as she has.

There is a good interest in nature study manifested this year. It seems as if there were never so many people who are studying nature, at least to some degree. Especially is this true in the study of wild flowers and of birds, and every morning there are many of the young people who arise early to hear the birds sing.

George R. Howe has three classes who are engaged in this and other branches of study, and Hortense G. Bragg has a class of girls pursuing study along the same line.

Scottie, the pet cat of Cottage street, has gone to spend the summer at Fairview Farm on Crockett's Ridge. Scottie is a large, handsome, tiger coat cat, and is the property of Harriet Millett. He is named in honor of his native town, Damariscotta, and Scottie is an abbreviation. Some of his more intimate friends think the first syllable of the long name, which was appropriately applied to him. He is now reveling in an abundant supply of new milk and farm life.

This week Mrs. Florence L. Merritt of New York is showing the good qualities of Lipton's coffee and teas at the store of C. F. Ridlon.

The agency for these goods is Thomas J. Lipton's name for the American cup—but his goods are also well and favorably known in mercantile circles. The goods come mostly from India and Ceylon, and are grown upon Lipton's own plantations. A good number of people are sampling the fruit and speak highly of them.

Friday, E. R. Jordan was out on the head by a saw while at work at the upper mill of C. B. Cummings & Sons. The carrier belt which removes the saw dust broke and Mr. Jordan was caught in it without stopping to fasten the belt, he was underneath the outting off saw and unthinkingly he raised his head striking the revolving saw. A gash was made in the flesh of considerable size but it was over a flesh wound and after receiving medical attention he went to work again, and the wound is healing now.

Norway Municipal Court.

Tuesday, Deputy Sheriff Tucker brought before the court, Patrick O'Keefe who came from New Hampshire and by his condition showed that the intoxicating qualities of the liquors of that state had not been reduced by the new license law. He was fined \$5 and costs and was committed for non-payment.

B. K. Shepard, representative of the Consolidated Wireless Company, will show the system at the Elm House until Friday evening 9 p. m. It costs nothing to see the machine and Mr. Shepard will be glad to see all who are interested in this wonderful invention.

SOUTH PARIS.

Two Games by Paris High.

Thursday afternoon the matched game of ball between the High school boys and the Old Timers was played at 4 o'clock.

It was a close game and there is some dispute as to who won.

At the close of the ninth the score was 6 to 5 in favor of the High school, then a member of the Old Timers claimed he was not credited with a run he made. This was finally allowed and the score was tied. The next inning gave the Old Timers 2 and the High school 1, and the final score Old Timers 3, P. H. S. 7.

The boys went to Hebron, Saturday, and were defeated by a score of 12 to 6 by the Hebron Second team.

Memorial Services.

The observance of Memorial Sunday and Decoration Day will be as follows:—Sunday, May 24, members of Wm. K. Kimball Post and the Woman's Relief Corps will assemble at Grand Army hall and attend service at the Universalist church, Rev. J. H. Little.

Saturday, May 30, comrades of the Post will decorate the graves of all the soldiers buried in Paris except those in Riverside cemetery in this village by detail in the morning. Following this a dinner will be served in G. A. R. hall at noon. A line will be formed at 2.15 in Market square and the procession will march to Riverside, where the usual decoration service will be held.

Following this, march will be taken to New Hall, where after the usual exercises an address will be given by Rev. W. E. Brooks, D. D., of the Congregational church.

Veterans of the Civil and Spanish wars and citizens of the town are invited to attend the exercises.

Children's Classes.

The twenty-lesson course for children, which has proven such a marked success the past season at the Carl Lamson Violin school, will be a great advantage in creating an interest in the study of the violin here. As a rule parents do not care to purchase an instrument until some musical ability has been shown by their children.

Therefore, the change of the school makes the offer of the use of five violins free to pupils entering the twenty-lesson course. This will give the children a fine opportunity, at the very moderate price of six dollars for the entire course, to prove what ability they may possess in that direction.

Whittemore District.

Mrs. Elizabeth Merrill is in quite poor health.

Bert Allen is employed by S. M. King on his farm.

Mrs. Cassie Starbird of South Paris visited Mrs. C. A. Briggs a few days last week.

Harriet O. Briggs died May 13, at her home, where she had resided almost seventy-five years. She has been in poor health for many years but retained her faculties to a remarkable degree although she was more than 70 years old at the time of her death. She knew she must soon "pass over." A number of days before her death she spoke of loved ones who had gone before and bid good-by to her friends, then waited for the last and sank quietly to sleep. She leaves two brothers, Joseph Briggs of South Paris and Leonard Briggs of New Market, N. H., and two sisters, Mrs. H. R. Bonney of South Paris and Mrs. J. A. Starbird of Norway. The funeral was held at her late home and was attended by Rev. A. W. Fottle. Interment at Pine Grove cemetery.

Charles E. Stuart brought in 58 fine brook trout, Wednesday.

Charles R. Elder, esq., of Boston is visiting relatives in town.

Laura and Georgia Dean of Buckfield visited relatives here last week.

Percie M. Staples of Portland is visiting this week at J. P. Richardson's.

Roy Porter has returned from the University of Maine for the summer.

Morris Miles and wife of Portland have been visiting at Herbert Hilton's.

Mrs. Frank Taylor and daughter Phyllis visited relatives in Buckfield last week.

The graduating exercises of Paris high school will be held, Thursday evening, June 4.

A service was held at the jail, Sunday afternoon, the sermon being by Rev. W. E. Brooks, D. D.

Dr. C. L. Buck goes to Andover next Monday on a business trip. He will be gone until Thursday.

Princess Bonnie will be played Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, May 27, 28 and 29, at New Hall.

A 600 c. p. gasoline street lamp has been put in at the railway crossing above the Paris M'P'g Co.'s factory.

B. Y. Russell, Clark Marston, Dana Dresser and Samuel Stinchfield are spending a week fishing at C. Pond.

Sergt. Harold Gammon of the Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, stationed at Fortress Monroe, Va., is at South Paris on a furlough of 30 days.

Thursday afternoon, the W. C. T. U. elected Mrs. L. R. Berry, president; Mrs. W. L. Bonney, secretary, and Mrs. E. E. Chapman, treasurer.

The annual meeting of Oxford County Sunday School association will be held at the Congregational church, Friday, May 22. A very interesting program has been arranged.

Last Thursday evening, the members of the graduating class, P. H. S., made a call on A. D. Park, esq., and presented to him a pair of opera glasses because of his aid in staging "Messmates."

Royal-Joslin.

The wedding of one of our well-known and popular young ladies is thus announced in the Worcester, Mass., Gazette of Thursday last:

"Katherine A. Royal of 421 Park avenue and Arthur B. Joslin of 16 Stargis street were married at 4 o'clock this afternoon by Rev. Daniel Hoyt at his home, 335 Lincoln street. The bride wore a dove colored silk muslin gown. On their return to 421 Park avenue they were greeted at the carriage by Master Earle Needham and Florence Royal, each three years old, who strewed flowers from the carriage to the house. A short reception was held, after which the couple left for a wedding tour. During the summer they will make their home at Roodhale with the groom's parents. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Royal of South Paris, Maine, and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Worcester County Institution for Savings."

The bride is a graduate of the Paris High school and has taught several terms of school in town. Lately she has been employed as bookkeeper in the office of the Royal Worcester Corset Company in Worcester. She has many friends here who heartily congratulate her.

Special Town Meeting.

The two thousand additional to the amount already voted for the new school house was appropriated without serious opposition, Saturday afternoon. This makes the amount voted \$10,000, which is the amount the lowest bidder and the architect agree would be required to construct and furnish the building.

The amount is to be assessed this year. A sum of \$500 was appropriated to build the new road laid out by the county commissioners near Streaked mountain. The money will be assessed next year but the work is to be done this season.

Make a Note



of the fact that if you do not feel you can afford to pay 10 cents for a cigar that the

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Albuquerque, N. M.	\$52.05
Baker City, Ore.	49.55
Calgary, Alberta.	52.05
Colfax, Wash.	49.55
El Paso, Tex.	52.05
Emerson, Wyo.	49.05
Glenwood Springs, Col.	49.05
Helena, Mont.	49.05
Leavenworth, Kan.	49.05
Lewistown, Idaho.	49.05
Los Angeles, Cal.	52.05
Salt Lake, Utah.	49.05
Virginia City, Nev.	55.05

Tourist Sleeping Cars will leave Montreal every Monday and Wednesday. These Tourist Cars are special features for passengers holding second class tickets.

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WANTED, LOST, FOUND, ETC.

Twenty-five words or less, one week, 25 cents; second week, 15 cents; each additional week, 10 cents. Each word more than 25: One week, 1 cent, and each additional week, 2 cents. This price is for cash in advance. One and two-cent postage stamps taken.

LOST A spring-tooth Cultivator. The person who has it is requested to return it to Dennis Pike, Norway.

BOY MISSING A good trade, if he buys a coaster brake before he examines the kind we guarantee for the season and sell for \$5.75. We refer to 31 satisfied "Cuboid" riders in this vicinity. Bissett-town's Bike Barn, N. Waterford, Me. 20-22

FOR SALE A registered Hereford bull calf six months old. G. N. Young, West Paris, Me. 20-22

BLACKSMITH Stock and tools for sale. Sufficient for business. Which is good. Rent reasonable. H. F. Dale, Bridge St. 20-22

FOR SALE OR RENT House on Summer Street. For particulars apply to Geo. W. Stone, Summer Street, Norway, Maine.

MAPS OF Oxford County, 25 and 30 cents each, sent post paid on receipt of price. Address F. W. Sanborn, Norway, Me.

HORSES for sale, one pair of brown horses, weight 2000 lbs. Good workers. Address George E. Redding, Redding, Me. 19-21

BARBERING I haven't shut up shop, but I will continue to do barbering the same hours as I have heretofore. E. W. Clark, South Paris. 18-21

WANTED Help to do house work. Must know how to cook. Steady work. Good pay. Wm. C. Leavitt, Norway, Me. 11st

EGG MACHINES Eggs from my S. C. Town. Leghorns, Shesheps, by express in Canfield boxes. Bert J. Flint, North Waterford, Me. 17-21

SPLIT your bicycle rim? We'll put you on a new one for \$1.00. All new spokes. See extra, on fourth season at Bissett-town's Bike Barn, N. Waterford, Me. 18-22

PORCUPINE BOUNTY Blanks for use of Town Treasurers, sent by mail for 25 cents per dozen. Address, Advertiser Office, Norway, Me. 16st

ALL ROUND PRINTER Wanted. Call Advertiser Office, Norway, Me. 16st

COPY PRESS WANTED A second-hand one, size 10x12. Call on or address, F. W. Sanborn, Norway, Me. 16st

TO RENT 2-room house with bathroom on Main Street, Norway. Rent reasonable. Apply to Merritt Welch, Sanford, Me. 46st

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT cards or printed in the correct style at reasonable prices at this office. Call and examine.

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Poplar, Spruce and Fir pulp wood, delivered on Crooked River next winter.

Poplar - \$4.25 per cord, peeled.

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J. E. MCINTIRE & SONS, 18st East Waterford, Me.

My First Cattle Show.

A Reminiscent Mood.

Meeting Wm. T. Eustis of Dixfield recently brought to mind an incident in my life which happened about sixty years ago, and in its train came other recollections of men and matter as vividly as though they occurred but yesterday, and even more so for what age comes forgetfulness. The particular subject matter was a cattle show. A journey from Livermore to Dixfield for a boy in those days was something, but a cattle show, oh, my! A schoolmate asked me to go. He could visit an uncle, Chas. T. Chase, and a sister, and I, we were all allied to the Chases, Thomas or Aquilla, or something, with an eye to that Chase estate in England. No, I did no cousining, too bashful, and when they attempted to hunt me up at dinner time I was not to be found.

The cattle show proper was not a great success. There are certain ingredients which are very essential for a certain contingent to make any show a "howling success" and those were generally New England rum and a sprinkling of gin and brandy, whereas in these days "split and forty rod" is the rule. John Eustis was marshal. I knew him by sight, as I knew many men, living as I did on the thoroughfare leading from Mexico, Dixfield, Peru and other towns to Hallowell, the then great market. Ox teams, horse teams, single and double, loaded with produce, shingles, etc., and on their return West India goods, wet and dry. One man being asked what he was loaded with replied, "I have on a hoghead of molasses and two barrels of moral suasion." This was at a time when moral suasion was counted the great panacea for the elimination of the drink habit. It is advocated now by a certain class.

What has this to do with our cattle show? There was one man I knew as a teamster on the road by the name of Wheeler. He had a pair of points doing menial service about the village, and beside this pair of points one yoke of oxen constituted the whole cattle show, and there was nothing more visible to my view, though an unsophisticated youth that I was. There might have been other sights behind the curtain.

There were some good wrestlers though and I can recall their names and seem to retain their physiognomy though I often lose the names of my neighbors. There was a Rowe, a Haskell, a Gowell and others. Chris Staples, they called him, a small man, was truly an athlete. He was not thrown.

Mace Eustis was called to take a turn but he declined. In later years I saw him in Minneapolis. His brother, Wm. T., informs me that his name was Mason but we take the names of strangers as given us, often abbreviated.

It was down the street where they paid homage to Bacchus more particularly. Going into a carriage shop I saw there a mix-up, where the ridiculous and the ludicrous were strangely blended. Two old men reeling drunk, each having a son, who were men grown. One of the young men called the other young man's father an old black something or other. This was picked up by the other and all the tearing of cloth. One of the old men tottering around kept admonishing them, "You'll be ashamed of this tomorrow." Doubtless he had in view that "to-morrow is as this day, and far more abundant."

It was a great day nevertheless for two boys, and as I look back men's faces appear to me and ludicrous incidents rush upon my memory with astonishing rapidity, one of which I will mention.

When I was a young man, one day turning my horse into the yard to get a bite of grass, he worked himself to the side of the main road and just as I went to take him back two men from Dixfield came along and one of them with a very harsh voice sang out to the horse to "get up." He did get up and get. I asked them to let up but the man kept yelling at the horse and drove him to the ferry, and would doubtless have driven him to Hallowell had not the ferry intervened.

Why didn't I lick them? I was not big enough. They have gone to their reward, and as the most of us at some time in our lives may have been inconsiderate of the feelings of others we will let it pass without naming them, but we still remember "Cype," the sedate, and Tyler's still, smooth voice seems to ring in my ears to this day. And this old world seems to be a thousand years older than that September morning sixty years ago.

When spring with all its opening bloom appears, the world seems new, to youth and green years. But time and space will surely change the scene, while nature's boons are scarcely what they seem.

All nature seems to age as we grow old. While on life's sterner course we lose our hold, and with our waning powers we cease to try. To keep up with the train—we know not why.

But sure it is, all nature leads the way. From greener youth, to age, and swift decay. A day, a month, or for a term of years. We live, we die, and quit this vale of tears. But such is life, and nature's quickly told. Though years wracked their brains from days of old.

To penetrate the gloom and lift the veil, Their work is vain—they wrought without avail. Buckfield, Me. GILBERT TILTON.

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Some Things Well to Know.

Summer Refreshments.

Refreshments for summer entertainments need not necessarily be extravagant, as something dainty, seasonable and appropriate, if prettily served, will be relished far as greatly. Never attempt more than it is possible to manage well with the assistance and means at hand. As elegant simplicity, rather than ostentatious display, is the keynote to success. Perfect cookery, faultless service and immediate surroundings, however simple and plain, mark the choicest entertainment.

Porch parties are among the popular affairs for bright, sunny summer weather, a bit of needlework and light chatter sufficing to beguile the time. The refreshments should be of the same simple nature. It is a pleasing idea to arrange in some shady corner a pretty nook, fashioned of seasonable vines and flowers for the punch bowl. To this attractive spot the guests may go and partake at pleasure. Later in the afternoon a frozen dainty with cake or sweet wafers should be served. Golfing and ping pong parties may be regaled similarly. To diminish the work of preparation, which in extremely warm weather is somewhat tiresome, many purchase macaroons, assorted cakes or wafers. The latter can be obtained in a variety of delicious flavors which combine exceedingly well with frozen sweets. Water ices are preferable to cream ices because more refreshing.

Don't Expect of Others

What We Don't Do Ourselves.

How often parents expect school teachers to do for their children what should always be done at home. A little incident in Gardiner recently illustrated this and the Independent takes occasion to preach a vigorous and sensible sermon on the matter. It says: "The fact should be indelibly stamped in the mind of every parent that our teachers are not hired to do police duty on our streets, either day or evening; they are not hired to teach their pupils the rudiments of good manners and good morals, but can only take what comes to them from the home association in this direction, and while they are expected to be exemplars of these things in their daily intercourse with their pupils, they are not expected nor can they spend their entire time in teaching important lessons which certainly should have been taught at home. The public school teacher's task is hard enough in their duty of instructing their charges in the prescribed course of studies in the different grades to which they are assigned. I know parents who are very indulgent. They can see no faults. In fact, with them there cannot be any in their own children, and if, perchance, their dear girl or boy goes astray and is caught in a mean act the blame is often laid on the shoulders of the poor teacher, the parent not for a moment considering that the home influence had anything to do with it."

Wealth of the Pine Tree State.

"Maine has undoubtedly gained more than \$100,000,000 in wealth within the past decade," says Chairman Pottle of the State board of assessors. "It has been one of the most prosperous periods in her history. The development of manufacturing and the utilization of her unrivaled water power have been among the principal factors, perhaps the most important factor, in these prosperous conditions. The building of the mammoth paper mills in the wilderness of Millinocket has within five years built up a prosperous town of 3,000 inhabitants. The establishment of the pulp and paper industry in Rumford Falls has transformed a sleepy farming town into a city, and increased its population. The growth and extension of pulp and paper manufacturing in this State has doubled the value of Maine's vast territory of spruce forests. The prosperity of any great industry makes other industries necessary.

Activity begets activity, and the building of these mammoth pulp and paper plants at remote points, near the source of timber supplies, made necessary the construction of new railroad lines, the extension of telegraph and telephone service, and the progress of all these created a demand for an increase in banking capital. Financial institutions spring up wherever and wherever need arises with their increase in Maine has kept pace with the demand.

Nor has the farmer been left out of the benefits which flow from prosperous activity. Villages have sprung up wherever manufacturing industries are established, creating ready markets near at home for the products of all demand for farms and at better prices than could have been obtained a few years ago.

Pimples, blotches and all other spring troubles are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla—the most effective of all spring medicines.

Oxford Probate Court.

The May term of the Oxford probate court was held at Rumford Falls on May 12th when the following business was transacted:

Wills presented: Josie H. Day, Fryburg, and Lucy A. Osgood, Hiram.

Administrators appointed: Abbie Abbott of the estate of Josephine B. Tobin late of Andover, and W. H. Watson of the estate of Walter L. Merrill, late of Rumford.

Accounts were filed in the estates of Jane G. McDonald, Rumford, and John R. Weld, Dixfield.

Allowance decreed to widow in estate of John K. McKenzie, Rumford.

Petition for distribution was presented in the estate of Hiram R. Swan, Rumford.

Accounts were allowed in the estates of John L. Thomas, Rumford; Dudley F. Roberts, Rumford; Samuel Knapp, Byron, and Elizabeth D. Swain, Rumford.

Distribution was ordered in the estates of Dudley F. Roberts, Rumford, and John L. Thomas, Rumford.

Harry Small was appointed guardian of Gilbert Warren of Denmark.

GILEAD.

B. S. Burbank is moving his barn back several feet.

Mrs. H. L. Allen and son of Boston are at Bennett's tavern for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wheeler have returned from California, where they have spent the winter.

E. C. Wadsworth has been appointed postmaster at Wadsworth.

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BETHEL.

Memorial Services.

This year's services in honor of the deceased soldiers of the Civil war, under the auspices of Brown Post, G. A. R., will be as follows: Sunday morning, May 24, the Memorial sermon will be at the Congregational church by Rev. F. C. Potter of the Methodist church. Saturday, May 30, services will be held at West Bethel and East Bethel in the morning and Evergreen cemetery and Mayville in the afternoon. In the evening at Odeon hall, the address of the day will be given by Judge Enoch Foster of Portland.

Mrs. Teresa Grover is visiting in South Paris.

Mrs. Johnson of Pawtucket, R. I. is working for J. P. Skillings.

Lorna Littlehale has returned from her winter's stay in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Melinda Bean is visiting her sister, Mrs. Olive Bartlett, at East Bethel.

Clint Blanchard has gone to Pawtucket, R. I., where he is to be employed.

Mrs. Selden Phipps has returned to her home in Milan, N. H. after several days' visit here.

The officers of the reorganized Creamery Company are:

Pres.—S. B. Twitchell.

Treas.—E. L. Bradford.

Clerk—H. H. Hastings.

Directors—S. B. Twitchell, E. L. Bradford, Chester Wheeler.

At the annual meeting of the W. C. T. U., the officers were re-elected, except that Mrs. Martha Chapman is vice-president from the Congregational society.

Mrs. Martha Chapman, Mrs. A. M. Clark and Mrs. O. M. Mason are delegates to the convention for Oxford county to be held at Rumford Falls, June 8 and 9.

EAST SUMMER.

An Old-fashioned Raising.

On Monday, the 11th, a goodly number turned out and assisted in the raising of a barn frame for Israel Gammon.

The barn is to be 150 feet long and connected with the large two-story house erected by Mr. Gammon a few years ago. When completed it will constitute one of the best sets of farm buildings in town.

The hard and extensive job of grading the grounds for the new station and R. R. yards is nearly completed.

The Wayne Marble and Granite Works have recently set up two of their granite monuments in Elmwood cemetery at East Summer. One was for the late Susan Bryant and the other for Clarke Bole's family lot.

Four or five new buildings are to be put up this season in the place. Foundations are partly in for a grange hall, a new store, an extension to the Minot Packing Co's plant and a new R. R. station. The corn packing company also intend to put up a boarding house on their grounds for their help.

M. R. Fogg, the superintendent of the Packing Co., has completed a large new stable and graded up the grounds about his buildings and has much improved its appearance.

EAST OTISFIELD.

Grade Wardwell has gone to Snow's Falls to work.

Maria Wardwell spent Sunday with Mrs. Carrie Ward.

Florine Butler of Webb's Mills has been in this place.

Francis Peaco has gone Oxford to work for F. W. Lord.

E. A. Barton and wife of Casco spent Sunday at Peter Woods.

Josephine Gerrish set a goose on 19 eggs and hatched 19 goslings.

There will be a hulled corn supper at Panawaca hall Friday, the 22d.

Mrs. Virginia Pitts has visited her sister, Mrs. W. T. Edwards at Spurr's Corner.

Chester B. Jordan and family of Massachusetts has been visiting relatives in this place and Otisfield.

Charles Bumpus of Oxford is at work for George Edwards. Mr. Edwards is putting an addition on his barn.

For the Protection of Birds.

The Maine Audubon Society and the Maine Ornithological Society have entered into an agreement with the commissioners of inland fisheries and game to post in conspicuous places throughout the State of Maine a poster printed on cloth, calling attention to the laws relating to the protection of birds of various kinds. The laws of Maine and the laws of the United States are quoted and the warning reads as follows:

"The laws of Maine protect gulls, terns and all other wild non-game birds, also the nests and eggs of all birds at all times. The exceptions are: Birds not protected, hawks, owls, crows and the English sparrow. Game birds can only be killed during the open seasons established by law.

"Any person found destroying wild birds or their nests, or taking bird eggs, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and when convicted thereof shall be fined five dollars for each offense, and an additional five dollars for each bird living or dead, or part of bird, or nest or eggs possessed in violation of law, or to imprisonment for ten days, or both, at the discretion of the court.

"Under the Federal Law a fine not exceeding \$200 is also provided: 1—For the delivery of any birds killed in violation of the laws of Maine, to any express, railroad or steamboat company, or to any other common carrier, for shipment out of the state. 2—For the transportation of such birds by any common carrier out of the state. 3—For shipment out of the state of any package containing game, birds or plumage, which does not bear the shipper's name and address, and a statement of the nature of the contents. Railroad and express agents are cautioned against forwarding any package of birds which is not properly marked or supposed to contain birds killed contrary to law.

"The public is requested to report violations of the law to the above, or to local game wardens."

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I. W. Andrews of South Woodstock was interviewed in Mechanic Falls while on his way to Bemis on a fishing trip, his 30th trip to that resort. He said, "I am 71 years old, and I guess this will be my last one. Mr. Andrews is hale and hearty and as young as most of the boys. He was full of stories of fishing and woods life. He first went to Bemis in the winter of 1890. There was no settlement there then, but the fish were just the same. "There is one singular thing," said Mr. Andrews; "we used to catch a larger number of fish, but not such large ones as we do to-day."

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Coming Events.

May 22—Maine State Sunday School Association, South Paris.
May 23—Yankee Club entertainment, G. A. R. Hall.
June 4—Oxford County W. C. T. U. Convention, Rumford Falls.
June 4—Graduation, Paris high school, South Paris.
June 4—Graduation, Norway High School, Opera House.
June 16—Graduation exercises at Hebron Academy.

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This warm weather is bringing the summer visitors here. The camps and hotels never knew such a rush in May.

By a receipt handed down by Chief Justice Wiswell from the law court, judgment for defendant is given in the Oxford county case of Richmond L. Melcher vs. the insurance company of Philadelphia.

The earnings of the Grand Trunk Railway system for the first week of May were \$678,720; for the corresponding period of 1902 they were \$601,865; increase for 1903, \$76,855. Since January 1, 1903, the earnings have been \$1,493,049; for the corresponding period of last year they were \$957,420; increase for this year, \$1,620,745.

OXFORD.

Successful Fishing.
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wardwell went fishing one day last week and caught 8 trout and a bass. One of them weighed 3 1/2 pounds.

Howard Davis was at home from Bethel, Sunday.

Nathaniel Fisher is suffering from a nervous trouble.

F. W. Lord is building a new chimney and repairing his buildings.

Alpha Kavanaugh is having a vacation from his work at the store.

J. P. Foster and son Frank of Bridgton have been guests of J. F. Pattee and family.

Mrs. Lizzie Edwards and daughter of Norway were in town on business Wednesday of last week.

Newton Littlewood and wife are taking a few weeks' vacation from their work in the woolen mill.

Rev. A. H. Erickson will preach at North Norway next Sabbath. The pulpit of the Advent chapel here will be filled by Rev. Jared Whitman of Saco. There will be three services.

Mrs. and Miss Corning are expected at their summer home in about two weeks. Ida Wilcox who worked for them last season, will come a week before and prepare the house for them.

Mrs. Newton Littlewood has a bed of tulips in bloom. All kinds of flowers seem to thrive under her care. She now has fifty healthy looking geraniums, many of which are budded and in bloom.

Mrs. Moses Hanscom received a very pleasant surprise, Monday, when her brother Freeman Leavitt of Somerville, Mass., whom she had not seen for several years, came to visit her at her home. He is 80 years old and came unattended.

MASON.

Bears Killing Sheep.
Bears are very plenty and they have killed several sheep for E. H. Morrill and A. G. Lovejoy.

Farmers are busy planting.
Arthur Morrill is very sick.

John Westleigh is working for Mrs. L. E. Bean.

Fred Ordway and wife were in town last week.

Harry Blanchard has got men at work on the cottage.

Mike Vashaw has moved into one of the mill houses.

Tom Vashaw will move into the Arthur Morrill house soon.

Elbridge Merrill has returned home and is working for G. S. Westleigh.

Ben Skilling and wife of Bolster's Mills are visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. E. Tyler.

George Westleigh went to Norway last Saturday and purchased another nice Hereford heifer.

Mrs. Lucy Cushing has returned home from New Hampshire, where she has been stopping since last January.

Hastings Brothers have a large crew of men working on the large dam, and the boss of the big dam, which will be started soon, arrived Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morrill are staying at A. G. Lovejoy's during Mr. Morrill's illness, as they had not got settled in their new home when he was taken sick.

BRYANT'S POND.

Ed Haskell is boarding at Consider Farrar's.

Earl G. Felt from Norway was at his father's over Sunday.

Horatio Bryant's new house is up and work is going on well.

Harry Day of Lewiston was at G. L. Stevens', last Sunday.

Everybody is desiring rain. We are having a severe drought.

M. M. Libby of West Poland is visiting Mrs. E. J. Felt and family.

Susie A. Merrill of North Norway visited Mrs. Alice Farrar last week.

Charlie Herman from Michigan has hired out to work for B. C. Davis.

Elmer Cummings and wife have moved to Locke's Mills with Capt. Jones.

A party of ten from Rumford Falls were at Camp Christopher over Sunday.

Frank E. Davis has gone to Mrs. Alonzo F. Cole's in New Gloucester to work this season.

Stephen Rowe intends building on the lot bought of A. L. Rowe, between A. L. Rowe's house and Ansel Dudley's.

Sunday school at North Woodstock was begun for the summer, two weeks ago, A. A. Richmond superintendent.

There will be Memorial services at the Universalist church, May 24. Rev. Mr. Tyler of Lewiston will deliver the sermon.

Eugene Cole has painted his store, and John Titus has painted his buildings and added a piazza to one side of the house.

NORTH WATERFORD.

Fine Residence and Grounds.
Harry Brown is laying the foundations for a fine new set of buildings, having bought the Nason and Lewis lots in the burned district. His father has also given him the lot adjoining, making a valuable building spot, uniting three lots in one.

The roadmakers are doing good work on our hilly road.

There was a dance at Odd Fellows' hall the evening of May 16.

Mrs. Farrington has gone to Mechanic Falls to visit her son, who lives in that place.

Quite a number of our citizens are having telephones put into their residences.

In place of the circle May 26, Rev. Mr. Coffin of Lowell Center will give a stereoscopic lecture.

Mrs. Stephen Harriman of Milan, N. H., and Mrs. Fred Proctor and child of Norway are visiting at Ed Farmer's.

The G. A. R. Post will be entertained at Odd Fellows' Hall on Memorial Day. A dinner will be served, followed by appropriate exercises and an address by Rev. E. W. Lord. The people of Stoneham and Albany are expected to participate.

Evergreen Lodge of Rebekahs visited Eadara Lodge at Bridgton, May 12. The work was beautifully exemplified under the inspection of the Grand Warden, Mrs. Spencer of Berwick. A fine time was enjoyed by twenty or more who went from this place.

At the annual meeting of the officers of the Sunday school the following were chosen for the ensuing year:

Supt.—Dea. Ezra Hoxsey.
Asst. Supt.—Harry W. Saunders.
Sec. and Treas.—Mary Dresser.
Liturgy—Mrs. Ellen R. Millett.

For children's day, Mrs. Helen Saunders was chosen chairman of music committee, Mrs. Ella Knight on recitations, and Mrs. Ellen R. Millett on decorations.

E. B. Rice was at G. B. Rice's last Friday with his corn-plaster, planting Mr. Rice's yellow corn and beans.

Mrs. Addison Millett and cousin, Mrs. Llewellyn Millett, called on Mrs. Hattie E. and Mrs. Abbie L. Rice, last Monday, the 17th.

The North Waterford nine play a game of base ball next Saturday afternoon with the Locke's Mills boys on their grounds here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rice, who have been working at the mill for the past winter, visited Mr. Rice's parents, brother and wife last Friday. On the first of June, Mr. and Mrs. Rice go to East Corinth, where Mr. Rice is superintendent of the corn shop.

EAST-FRYEBURG.

Profitable Settings.
Henry Lord has 71 chickens from 72 eggs set. Pretty good hatching. Eugene Chadbourne reports 15 chickens from a setting of 18 eggs. Who comes next?

Mrs. C. E. Smith is with her daughter, Mrs. Burt Dresser.

Beryl Dresser was quite sick last week with a croupy cold.

Percy Walker with his horses is doing B. G. Seavey's farm work.

Bert Cole planted corn, Wednesday, May 13, much earlier than usual.

Mrs. Bennett McDaniel is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Smith, this week.

Mrs. Henry Lord is with Henry's sister, Mrs. Walter Blake in Denmark, who is sick.

Mrs. W. C. Douglass and daughter Alma were guests at her uncle's, Ed Smith's, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Belcher and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones of Denmark called on Mrs. Mary Seavey, last Friday.

Horace True and wife from Denmark were guests of Mrs. True's sister, Mrs. Denning, last Sunday; also Mrs. Denning's brother, Will Brine.

Joseph Johnson and Webb Elia of Fryeburg village did a little job of mason work on the chimney in Mr. Denning's house, last Saturday.

P. W. Seavey and family from West Fryeburg were the guests of his parents', Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Seavey, last Sunday; also their daughter, Mrs. Anna Kenerson, Nellie Kenerson, and their friend, Will Kieff.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Severance from Lowell were guests at Mrs. Severance's father's, J. J. Pike's, last week. They came to attend the funeral of Granville's father, Charles Severance, a former resident of Lowell, but for the last few years he has made his home in Lowell with his son Freeman.

Ed Bell and James Charles came to Ed's barn for a load of hay, last Saturday, so they took their fishing tackle along. They went first to the Resenden Ditch, then in the afternoon they went out on the pond. They caught 45 pickersel, some few were very small but they averaged a good fair size.

SWEDEN.

Mrs. Thomas Jefferson is gaining slowly.

Edwin Knight sold his oxen to W. E. Gordon.

School began Monday, Emma McAllister teacher.

George A. Smart is stopping a few weeks in Boston.

Ed Hall is at work this summer for Thomas Jefferson.

Mrs. Lucy Libby fell and broke her wrist a few days ago.

Mrs. Lottie E. Smith is visiting at her sister's, Mrs. Alice Briggs.

Mrs. Samuel Bryan has returned from her visit to friends and relatives in Boston.

W. E. Gordon is on the sick list. His health has been very poor for some time.

NORTH NORWAY.

James Foster was taken very ill Monday.

F. A. Hunt from Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting his family here.

Mrs. Will Pierce sold 25 chickens in the shower the other day.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Q. Elliott have moved into their country residence here.

Ansel Dinsmore, who went to Portland hospital last week, returned Saturday.

Anson Millett, road commissioner, and three men were working in this vicinity last week.

George French, letter carrier in Boston, is stopping at J. K. French's, as his health is very poor.

Mrs. R. L. Cummings and children from South Paris visited at W. Judd's, Saturday and Sunday.

EAST STONEHAM.

A Well Preserved Man.
A short time since we received a call from a former resident of this town, Mr. McKeen. We were quite pleased to see him looking so smart and vigorous.

Mr. McKeen was born in March, 1814, and is 89 years of age, yet many men of seventy are less active than he. His eye is bright, his mind seems clear, and he is really refreshing to see and talk with him. He is a very strong temperance man and does not use any tobacco, and to this fact he attributes much of his good health and steady nerves.

He was born in what was formerly known as Fryeburg Academy Grant. In the course of time this tract of land was divided into several towns. One portion was known as Usher, now Stoneham.

For the past few years, Mr. McKeen has resided with a daughter, Mrs. Hutchins, at Bethel and was visiting friends here when I saw him.

Mrs. Eliza A. Merrill.

Died at East Stoneham, May 16, Mrs. Eliza A. Merrill, aged 81 years, widow of the late D. Merrill, and daughter of Jonathan Bartlett, sr., and Nancy (Barker) Bartlett.

Deceased was born in the town of Newry, but has resided in this town for many years and being eminently social had a large circle of friends and acquaintances. By her death we lose a kind neighbor and an intimate and much acquainted friend to whom was appealed for counsel and sympathy in time of sickness and sorrow, and never in vain.

She was ever ready to lend a helping hand to the sick and suffering so long as she was able to do so. For some years past she has been very lame and could go from home but little in consequence.

Mrs. Merrill was taken sick suddenly and violently and confined to her bed about three weeks when death came to her relief.

Three brothers survive her, also a son and grandson with whom she resided. A step-daughter, Mrs. Anna D. Stoneham, resides in Portland and a grand-daughter, Mrs. C. W. Lindsay, in Montreal. Many other relatives will miss her kindly greeting. Her nephew, Ernest S. Bartlett, esq., came from Michigan to attend her funeral but did not arrive in season to see her alive.

Mrs. Merrill's funeral was held at the Congregational church, Sunday afternoon, and was largely attended. Rev. E. W. Pond the officiating clergyman.

Sarah Butters is in very poor health. Hattie Parker is sick with a severe cold.

The mills are not running on account of low water.

Cleaning house is the order of the day with the ladies.

Many of the fruit trees are in bloom and make a fine appearance.

It is very dry and dusty, the air full of smoke, bushes and ponds low, and rain much needed.

Melvin Bartlett is having an addition built to his dwelling house which will be a great improvement.

The farmers have been putting seed in the ground, but if we don't have rain soon the prospect looks dim for a crop.

Mrs. Charlotte Butters and daughter Hazel have arrived from Millinocket on a vacation visit to relatives and friends.

H. M. Parker has been having a severe tussle with grip. He is better at present, but not able yet to sit up much of the time.

DENMARK.

Rev. Mr. Mann of Cumberland Mills preached last Sabbath, also at Odd Fellows' hall.

A big fire has been burning on Pleasant mountain which made hard fighting for a big crew of men.

Dr. Owen Head of Chesterville was in town and stayed over Sunday, May 10th, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Head.

Mrs. Caroline Witham of Bridgton came to visit her daughter, Mrs. Sarah McKusick, and other friends, last week Monday.

Mrs. John Libby will give a musical recital by scholars at the M. E. church, East Denmark, Saturday evening, the 23d, at 8 o'clock.

Frank Newell and family and Mrs. Powers, his wife's mother from Bryant's Pond, were in town last week and visited at Frank Whales'.

Frank Whales' wife was taken quite sick, Thursday, the 14th, and it is thought she may be obliged to go to the hospital for treatment.

Nelson Thomas and sons are doing a big job on their barn, raised it up 3 1/2 feet, put a cellar under and are putting on about 20 feet addition.

Rev. Mr. Greenhalgh was not able to preach last Sabbath in consequence of a cold and hoarseness but is expected to preach next Sabbath at 10 o'clock at East Denmark and in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Sandy Creek.

May 13th, Wm. Allen sold four cows, four calves and a horse to Mr. Richardson of Cornish; also sold 24 hens for \$20, a pretty good sale for one day. L. H. Berry also sold a cow to Mr. Richardson and Walter Berry sold him a cow and calf.

Mrs. Ella Berry and A. H. Witham went to Sebago, Wednesday, the 13th, to see the sick daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Merrifield and found she had passed away the day before. They went to her funeral, Thursday. She had the grip and it resulted in quick consumption. She was married just six months to Everett Hartford of Hiram. She was only 19 years old and a beautiful girl.

WILSON'S MILLS.

Mrs. M. A. Bennett is visiting at W. K. Bennett's and her brother's, F. A. Rice's.

Mrs. Jacobs and a friend were in, last Saturday, to visit Mrs. Jacobs' daughter Ida, who is teaching the school here.

The very dry, hot weather for the season is very depressing to the farmers, who have planted and sowed an unusual amount of ground this season. Plum trees and small fruits are full of blossoms.

NORTHWEST NORWAY.

Spaulding Abbott with his oxen has been at work for Herbert Hole.

Dr. E. C. Walker has been to Rumford Falls and expects to go the first of each month.

Fred Cummings (Thomas Newcomb's hired man) with Mr. Newcomb's horses and Sam Holt have been working for Hubert York a few days.

Mrs. Chas. Walker of Brownfield and Mrs. Orin Walker of Norway Center visited at Dr. Walker's a few days where they found Mrs. Daniel Walker from Stoneham, who is visiting there. They are three widows and have not met for 15 years.

PARIS HILL.

Cadet Appointment.
The many friends of Henry W. Lyon, Jr., are glad to congratulate him on his success in receiving an appointment as cadet in the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis. He expects to leave Paris, June 10, for a practice cruise, probably to the Mediterranean.

J. B. and A. L. Cole are at Gorham, N. H., this week.

Mrs. Lyon and Harry Lyon returned from Annapolis last Friday.

Mrs. J. Hubbard, who has been in Boston for some time, returned to Paris Tuesday.

Universalist sewing circle will meet with Mrs. Austin P. Stearns Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Burbank of South Paris spent Monday at the Hill, the guest of Mrs. Joseph B. Cole.

Rev. H. A. Roberts of Block Island, R. I., is making a short visit among his friends in Paris, his former home.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah W. Dudley of Atwater, Minn., are the guests of Mrs. Dudley's sister, Mrs. W. G. Hammond, and other friends at Paris.

Mrs. Powers is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Bishop. She will remain at Paris till next week, when Mr. and Mrs. Bishop and the children will accompany her to Skowhegan for a few weeks.

Mrs. J. S. Mason died at her home in Paris, Wednesday morning. Her death was sudden, although her health had not been good for some time. Besides her husband she leaves five sons and three daughters, all of whom were with her at some time during her last illness, except one son and daughter, who are ill.

WEST SUMMER.

Thrown from His Wheel.
Lineus Farrar, while riding around Pleasant pond, last Tuesday on his wheel in company with others, was thrown quite a distance striking on his head and injuring him seriously, but it is hoped not fatally. He was picked up unconscious and remained so at night. The forward wheel to his bicycle was completely demolished.

Wednesday morning he became conscious and seemed much better.

H. A. Proctor is away on a painting job.

Memorial services are to be held here, this year.

We get occasional sprinkles but not much rain as yet.

H. N. Chase of Auburn was at Geo. E. Pulsifer's, recently.

J. D. Bosworth of East Summer was in our place, last Tuesday, on business.

The scholars much enjoyed hanging their teacher a maybasket and getting caught by her.

The horse shed at the Universalist church has been shingled and other repairs are to be made later.

Walter Field and Mrs. Fred Keene from Dixfield were at his father's, C. W. Field's, a day or two recently.

The memorial services of W. A. Barrows Post, G. A. R., will be held at West Summer, this year, the address being by W. S. Robinson.

Ada D. Heath is very poorly, at present a physician attending her. She has a very bad cough. Her sister, Mrs. Lunt of Buckfield, returned home, Tuesday.

Gracie Farrar is boarding at Dr. Andrews'. Mrs. M. A. Nickerson is boarding with Mrs. M. J. Pulsifer. The teacher is boarding with Mrs. Maggie Heald.

A. D. Hazelton has taken a job of drawing lumber and moved temporarily to Milot, but will return to out his grass on the farm bought of J. M. Murch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Packard and Mr. and Mrs. F. R. McLaughlin spent a day at Little Concord Pond in Woodstock, recently. They report a grand good time and the fishing excellent.

NORTH CHATHAM.

Mill Burned.
S. H. Harriman's lower mill was burned on Friday, May 15, at noon. The mill crew was dinner and Engineer E. P. Weston returning before the rest of the men, saw the fire behind the boiler. The hose was connected ready for use and he applied the water but could not subdue it. He whistled as long as he had steam but when the men arrived there had got under the planer and dower rooms and soon the whole structure was a mass of fire.

The northwest wind carried burning shingles three miles and the fire caught in several places in Horace Chandler's field, on the barn and over in the barnyard. It made a stubborn fight and the only thing that saved Horace Chandler's, Wellington Chandler's and Madison Charles' and the schoolhouse was the prompt and gallant assistance of the neighbors and mill crew. This mill will be a great loss to the community as it contained the only saw in this vicinity. It was built 14 years ago last December. It was partially insured. Loss in stripped dowels was estimated at \$4,000.

Lena Hanscom has finished working for Robert Eastman.

Belle McKeen has been poorly but is better at this writing.

Warren Emerson has his barn up and boarded and one side newly shingled.

Public meeting of the Eagle Grange Thursday, May 14, was largely attended.

D. H. Leavitt has a new artificial leg. He is now preparing to do some farm work.

Morrill Jewell has bought a new pair of horses of A. F. Andrews & Sons of Norway.

School commenced at the schoolhouse May 11, taught by Emma Towle of Fryeburg.

Evidently Chatham doesn't want any rummellers as the vote was 20 to 8 against license, May 12.

Horace Chandler is slowly failing. Aunt Abigail Chandler is very weak but thought to be gaining.

Dexter Charles of North Fryeburg was in town recently looking after some stock he has pastured here.

Will Sanborn and Warren McKeen scared the peepholes Friday by burning brush but they must not compare our wet uplands with sand and pine needles.

New R. F. D.'s Deferred.

Owing to the fact that the appropriation for rural free delivery is about exhausted, the several Oxford county routes that have been approved are not to be established until after July 1.

These routes are one from South Paris, two from Buckfield, two from Canton, two from Dixfield and three from Rumford Falls.

SOUTH HARRISON.

Exchanged Pulpits.
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When the nerves are weak everything goes wrong. You are tired all the time, easily discouraged, nervous, and irritable. Your cheeks are pale and your blood is thin. Your doctor says you are threatened with a nervous breakdown. He orders this grand old family medicine.

Sarsaparilla

Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills. Just one pill each night.

Weak Nerves

SOUTH WOODSTOCK.

Two Trout Weigh 9 Pounds.

W. Andrews, our veteran fisherman, returned from his thirtieth trip to the lakes, Friday, bringing with him a catch of between 20 and 30 trout. He had two that weighed together 9 lb. and the other smaller ones came up to a good average.

The union school is taught by Walter Chase. He boards at Will Pratt's.

Mrs. Rachel Edwards, who has been sick with the grip, is much better.

Thos. Kendall and family were the guests of F. R. Andrews, last week.

A. M. Andrews has graded the ground around his house, which makes a great improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bryant have let their farm to Elwin Russell and gone to Portland to live.

Mrs. Nellie Merrill and daughter Ida and Mrs. Bessie Billings visited Mrs. F. E. Davis last week.

WEST PERU.

Much Moving.

S. A. Wilson and family have moved into S. E. Robinson's house.

John Harper has moved into S. N. Knox's house and a family by the name of Stone have moved into the Cynthia Adams' house.

Mrs. Emma Rowe is on the sick list.

Grace Fletcher is very sick and her recovery seemed doubtful.

O. L. Newell, wife and daughter Ella of summer visited at A. J. Austin's, May 15.

Geo. Rowe has returned from the hospital in Portland where she has been for treatment.

There will be a Mother Goose party and entertainment at the church Friday evening, May 22.

Several from this place attended Pomona at Peru, May 13. The next meeting will be with Rumford Grange, June 10.

CASCO.

Dr. Corliss and wife of Yarmouthville have been visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Ellen Young and grandson Claude Holten, who spent the winter in Boston, have returned to her home in the village.

There was a teachers' convention in Casco Union church Wednesday, May 20. Mr. Stetson, the State superintendent, attended.

Edwin Edwards' daughter and granddaughter of Falmouth Foreside visited his mother, Mrs. Washington Edwards, Saturday and Sunday.

WEST BUCKFIELD.

Our mail route has been favorably reported.

Jennie Bonney is at home and attends the school.

May Bradbury is helping Mrs. Kate Buck clean house.

Earl Harlow is at home, having finished work for Dr. Caldwell.

Addie Shaw of Buckfield was at Mrs. Emma Bonney's over Sunday.

Romanoz Lowe is very lame and unable to work part of the time.

James Richards is at home from Wilton where he has been at work.

Victor Pearson and family are having the grip. Harry Buck has also been sick with it.

Mrs. Thomas Bradbury is in Norway this week at her son's, Norwalle Bradbury's.

NORTH FRYEBURG.

Bertie Bryant has returned to her home.

The Smith boys are at home from California.

Cora Mayberry is at work for Mrs. L. O. Gibbs.

Gilbert Chase of Cornish was in town a few days last week.

May Hastings and Cora Wiswell were in Fryeburg Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Emery is visited by her sister, Mrs. Whitney of Boston.

Ada Hanson of Chatham, N. H., was in town, Friday and Saturday.

The road men boarded with Mrs. C. W. Brickett a few days last week.

John Stevens has finished work at Fryeburg and is now having a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hutchins left for Groveton Saturday morning, in their team.

Mell Kneeland has gone to Groveton, N. H., to work for E. S. Hutchins for a few weeks.

Lottie Allard of West Lovell was at her sister's, Mrs. C. W. Brickett's, a few days last week.

Mrs. Lewis Charles and daughter Nellie were in Portland Saturday to visit her son Don, who works there.

Mrs. Bertha Howe of Fryeburg has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Brown, the past few weeks.

There was no school Wednesday, as Miss Norton and several of the scholars attended the dedication of the new school building at Fryeburg.

Charles Wiley of Fryeburg Center is stopping with his son, Albert Wiley, since the fire destroyed the home of his son, Dexter Wiley. He is in poor health.

HEBRON.

Hebron, 8-Bridgton, O.

Amid the glaring blaze of bon fires and hideous and tremendous noises the victorious Hebron Academy team returned from Bridgton where they defeated the strong Bridgton Academy team, Saturday afternoon, 8 to 0.

An escort of about one hundred boys in the white uniforms of night gowns and carrying illuminated torches met the victors about half a mile from the city and escorted them to Sturtevant hall where supper was served and several speeches made. The escort in parading the town to the music of "Our Director" called at the residences of Rev. A. R. Crane, Prof. Sargent and Dr. Donham who responded to all for speeches.

Hebron Academy.	ab	r	hh	po	a	o
Brown, ss.	2	3	1	1	0	0
Dwyer, c.	5	2	1	2	0	0
French, 2b.	5	2	1	2	0	0
Seavman, 1b.	5	0	1	0	0	0
Hayes, p.	4	0	0	1	4	0
Tilton, 1b.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Shaw, 1b.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Rawley, 1b.	4	1	0	10	0	0
Williams, 2b.	2	1	0	2	0	0
Totals.	35	8	5	27	11	7

Bridgton Academy.	ab	r	hh	po	a	o
Lord, ss.	3	0	0	3	1	0
Smith, p.	3	0	0	1	0	0
French, 1b.	3	0	0	7	1	1
Wright, 2b.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Foley, c.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Boyer, 1b.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Foster, 1b.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Wilson, 3b.	2	0	0	0	0	0
McDaniel, c.	2	0	0	12	1	0
Totals.	27	0	2	27	3	1

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Mrs. L. Gurney has been ill for a week.

Mrs. F. S. Pike and Sybil Pike went to Lewiston, Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Pinkham of South Paris gave a lecture at Sturtevant Hall, Monday evening, before the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A.

Hebron Academy first base ball team defeated Bridgton at Bridgton, Saturday. The second team defeated Pownal and South Paris High at Hebron the same day.

WEST STONEHAM.

Visiting Friends.

Guests at Wm. Gammon's one day recently were Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McKee and five little daughters, also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keniston and two sons and two daughters of Lovell, being their two married daughters and nine grandchildren, making an entire reunion of children and grandchildren; also Lyman Hilton of Bridgton, and Percy, Maggie and Abbie Culbert.

Guests at J. C. Sawyer's were their son Linwood, who is working at Fryeburg, and Mrs. Minnie Farmer; S. G. Manson of Lovell; Silas A. Stearns, wife and three children of East Stoneham, and a call from W. W. Durgin.

Grace Adams of North Stoneham has gone to Bridgton to work.

School commenced on Tuesday under the instruction of Ina Gammon.

Monday was the hottest day we have had with the mercury at 92 degrees.

J. C. Sawyer is hauling lumber from Lynchville for the Adams Bros., who are building a cottage.

J. L. Stearns of East Stoneham was in this vicinity the first of the week, selling fancy goods, jewelry, notions, etc.

HARBOR.

Grace Holmes of Portland is in the vicinity.

Mr. Gould and Mrs. Hall have moved into their new house.

Mrs. Mary Emery is working in the family of T. Stearns in Lovell.

Mrs. Mary Walker of West Fryeburg is visiting Mrs. C. W. Waterhouse.

Mrs. Charles Smith and Mrs. John Keefe of the village are visiting in the place.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mason and daughter of North Conway were in the place, Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Brackett and daughters visited relatives in Conway and Fryeburg recently.

Mrs. C. F. Waterhouse of North Conway and Roy Gordon were at A. W. McKee's recently.

PORTER.

Samuel French is quite ill. He is 88 years old.

Mrs. Everett Wentworth is quite sick with the grip.

Leslie Norton and wife have been quite sick with the grip.

Joseph Gentleman has been on the sick list the past week.

The ground is very dry this way and not much farming done yet.

Our village school has commenced, with Annie Stanley as teacher.

Henry Fox, who had a slight shock a few weeks ago, is improving slowly.

Mabel Gentleman is visiting her father, Joseph Gentleman, for a few days.

Mrs. A. E. Rounds has returned from North Conway, where she has been working for a few weeks.

The Berlin Strike.

The strike at Berlin, N. H., which was begun at the mills of the Berlin Mills Co. and the Burgess Sulphate Fibre Co. a week ago, still continues with but little apparent change in the situation. Both plants are shut up the entire departments and not a wheel is moving.

The original demands called for two concessions on the part of the corporations—the recognition of the unions and an increased wage scale. These demands have been modified to the extent that union recognition has been dismissed and a compromise on the wage schedule has been admitted. This leaves the two parties only a short distance apart, but that distance is thoroughly beset with difficulties. The chief of these is whether or not the corporations shall be at liberty to deal with the men as individuals or as a combination. In fact this is about the only point at issue.

The situation has resolved itself on both sides into a fight for a principle. The pay roll at the mills involved for a single day is more than the entire increase called for by the new schedule for an entire year.

WELCHVILLE.

Harold Smith has moved to Casco.

Everyone is complaining of the weather.

Everett Staples has returned home from Boston, where he has been attending the Massachusetts College of Embalming.

Farmers have commenced planting their sweet corn for the factory. The advance in price will increase the acreage considerable in this town.

BUCKFIELD.

Full Trout Baskets.

Edwin Phinney took in 110 brook one day recently, some of them ½-pounders. Another man got 60 the same day.

There is about the same magnanimity rendered the trout which are confined to pools and holes by the drought, that our people show to the reconcentrados in the Philippines.

Fred Record and G. W. Tilton went to the lakes, returning Monday, Tilton having a 5½-pound salmon and Record 8½ pound, with some smaller fry.

Dr. Heald and J. H. Carey of Salem, Mass., are gathering in the trout and bass quite plentifully. Your correspondent was kindly remembered in the distribution.

Mrs. Edwin Maxim is quite ill.

George Haskell of South Paris was in town Sunday.

Eva and Gertrude Holland of Portland are visiting their parents here.

Harold Rawson has been employed at termions of late by Hebron to play ball.

Memorial services were rendered at the Baptist church Sunday, in the interest of the Odd Fellows and the Rebekahs.

The Hebron Juniors played with the Resolutes of this place Saturday on the school grounds. 8 to 6 in favor of Resolutes.

Thaddeus Allen of Mechanic Falls is visiting relatives here. He formerly lived here. He is 82 years of age, and it is said does his day's work as of yore.

Edwin Maxim, who has been in the employ of the P. & R. R., has severed his connection with the road and entered his block business.

GILEAD.

Mrs. H. Rayford went to Bethel Saturday.

Harry Wight went to West Bethel the first of the week.

The Fog family have moved into one of J. W. Bennett's rents.

Allen Ginn is doing carpenter work on B. S. Burbank's barn.

The church has been re-shingled the past week. T. G. Lary has been overseeing the work.

The Mountain Hills met with Mrs. J. W. Bennett last week instead of at the parsonage as appointed.

Rev. Henry Farrar supplied the pulpit last Sabbath. He gave us a very able sermon, text from Phil. 3:18.

Fire broke out in the Bemis house one day last week, but prompt and efficient help soon extinguished the blaze.

Sandy McLain has moved on the farm of the late A. B. Lary.

Estelle Lary from Shelburne was in town Monday.

D. R. Hastings has been pressing the hay purchased by him of T. G. Lary.

George Leighton has been clearing the pine timber from the A. B. Lary farm.

Edward Ring, who for several years has resided here in the employ of the late A. B. Lary and afterward of the family, has recently removed from town.

NEWRY.

Charles Bean from Sunday River is working with his team for William F. Small.

Olive Powers, who has been working for her sister at Lakeside, is home for a week or so.

Mrs. Persis Daley has gone to Bethel to visit her brother while her husband is working at Rumford Falls.

The people here were disappointed last Sunday, as they thought to have a pastor, but he is coming May 31. Mr. Barton is a missionary and therefore his time is very limited in each place.

WEST DENMARK.

Fred Davis has moved to the Clancy place.

The grip is making another visit with Will Walker's family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Butterfield of Brownfield visited friends here on Sunday.

Chesley Tibbetts is improving the land recently bought by him of Lyman Grover.

Mrs. Mary Pease of Parsonsfield visited her mother, Mrs. Chesley Tibbetts, recently.

Large Taxpayers.

DENMARK.

List of taxpayers who pay a tax in excess of \$30 in Denmark:

Fred Alexander.....	\$5 50
William Allen.....	57 40
Albert F. Berry.....	55 30
James E. Berry.....	42 50
Hosea A. Blaisdell.....	42 50
Charles W. Blaisdell.....	39 20
Walter B. Blaisdell.....	39 20
Wm. W. Berry.....	62 50
Almon B. Bradbury.....	60 70
Isaac H. Berry.....	72 70
John Colby.....	72 70
Arthur M. Deering.....	30 00
Samuel G. Davis.....	30 00
Clara W. Davis.....	30 00
Ezra Davis.....	30 00
Wm. V. Day.....	32 50
Edwin Evans.....	32 50
Henry W. Evans.....	63 20
P. D. Fessenden.....	40 00
E. P. Fessenden.....	40 00
Geo. W. Gray.....	40 00
William Hazen.....	70 20
James A. Head.....	72 00
Alphonsus Hinton.....	72 00
Martina Ingalls.....	34 40
Henry E. Ingalls.....	34 40
Augustine Ingalls.....	32 30
Albert E. Jones.....	49 10
Algeron O. Jewett.....	49 10
Henry M. Moxey.....	43 00
Geo. W. Moulton.....	42 10
Almon B. Ordway.....	42 10
Almon P. Pingree.....	63 90
Foster L. Pingree.....	63 90
Edwin Pingree.....	70 30
Chas. E. Smith.....	70 30
Reuben Smith.....	70 30
Fred Sanborn.....	70 30
Katie F. Sanborn.....	37 10
James N. Smith.....	37 10
Henry E. Smith.....	37 10
Frank True.....	32 00
Almon Warren & Son.....	47 00
Zabina E. Whitney.....	45 30
Moses E. Wentworth.....	45 30
William B. Wentworth.....	40 00
Wm. H. & C. H. Warren & H. D. Hardman.....	40 00
Geo. A. Wentworth.....	38 20
Francis E. Wilson.....	38 00
Arion Witham.....	38 00

NON-RESIDENT.

Burnham & Morrill Co.....	\$100 00
May R. Barker.....	50 00
Chas. E. Bean.....	50 00
Fred R. Bean.....	50 00
Roxanne Evans.....	102 00
Charles W. McKenney.....	102 00
Portland Star Match Co.....	34 00
Hattie A. Pike.....	34 00

Z. G. WHITNEY, Collector.

That Was Different.

Fond Parent—Why in the name of gumption is that kid of Nodexore's yelling around our yard?

Fond Parentess—Why, George! I'm surprised at you! That is our own little Gladys singing!

Fond Parent—Oh!—Los Angeles Herald.

EAST HEBRON.

Valuable Presents.

Dexter Bailey of Foxcroft visited his daughter to be present on her 48th birthday, and came very unexpectedly to the family. He presented his daughter with articles made by himself, a beautiful stuffed rooster, a solid mahogany table, a birdseye maple writing desk filled with writing materials to last a life-time as may write, and other pieces of fine furniture. A framed photo of her only brother, who passed away some time since; the frame was decorated by his daughter in burned iron-work; a bust of President Lincoln and one of Garfield, china and glassware and various presents to every member of the family.

Mrs. Stephen Curtis is very feeble and failing of late.

This question is often asked: How can the grass grow so finely and be of so bright a color without rain? The grass was not winter-killed in the least in this vicinity.

Mrs. Richard Young from Missouri is now visiting relatives and friends among her former neighbors, but she misses a very large number who have passed away since she left the place. She passed the winter in Oxford with a relative, and will visit her two brothers in Auburn next week. Her two sons, Ouslow and William Henry Young, cannot leave to visit in Maine, as they anticipated when Mrs. Young came last year. Ouslow is mayor and holds several offices of trust that prevent their coming.

H. A. Record recently bought a pair of steers of A. P. Allen.

Willie Record and family left here last week. Their goods were packed, but have not been moved yet.

Alice Davis returned from Lynn last summer to care for her mother, Mrs. Edwin Allen, who is very sick since she came to Maine several weeks ago.

NORTH WOODSTOCK.

Left Childless.

News was received the 9th of the death of Robert S., only surviving son of Henry J. Doughty, now of Providence, formerly of this place. Last June his son, I. R. Doughty, died, and now he is left childless. They were both smart and intelligent young men.

Lawrence Seams working for A. H. Sessions this season.

George Brown has recently made an addition of 7 cows to his dairy.

A party from Bryant's Pond took tea with Mrs. Ruth Bryant last Sunday evening.

Frank Harding arrived home from Lynn last Saturday, after an absence of two weeks.

Orlando Russell of Hanover was in this place Saturday, paying those who furnished pulp wood for him last winter.

Frank Millett, who has been at Upton the past winter, has lately visited relatives here and is now at Worcester, Mass., visiting his children.

Walter Sessions attended the funeral of his cousin, Robert S. Doughty, at Providence, R. I., May 10, and is now visiting his brothers and other relatives in that place.

SOUTH CONWAY, N. H.

A Family Gathering.

Frank Emery, formerly of Stow, and his son-in-law, Mr. Emerson F. Stow, lately stayed all night at John Willey's. Mr. Emery's daughter and little boy are boarding at Mr. W.'s and her husband, Fred Garland, came down from North Conway so they had quite a family gathering.

Rain is needed very much.

Mrs. Albra Garland's mother from Kennebunk is her guest.

Alasando Morton of Quincy, Mass., has lately been the guest of his son Herbert and wife.

Wm. Philbrook of this place, who is working at North Conway, spent Sunday with his parents, Hiram Philbrook and wife.

Mrs. John A. Garland of this place was called on the 18th to attend her brother's funeral at her mother's home in Great Pond.

Nellie Atherton of Massachusetts has come to her summer home. A Mr. Matlon has come with her to help on the place.

Arthur Pillsbury and mother of Lynn, Mass., are the guests of Andrew Brown and wife. Mr. P. came first and was taken sick and his mother came to care for him. At present he is better.

John N. Willey and wife of North Conway lately spent the day at Henry Willey's. John Willey says that on the 15th he had been on the railroad thirty-two years as brakeman and engineer, the most of the time as engineer.

Mr. Nesmith of Lowell is here looking after the work on his cottage that he is having built. Jesse Ivy is also here. He is having some building and alterations made to his house. Part of his family have come for the summer.

Some one set a

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FRYEBURG.

Oh, For an Elijah!
It is hot and dry and the dust is nearly suffocating—oh, for an Elijah!

There are several boarders at the Oxford.

Senator Wm. P. Frye was in town, last week.

The ice cart is out and a welcome guest.

Gertrude Keith is teaching in Eaton Center, N. H.

Two large cans of peaches for 25c at H. H. Burbank's.

Nice strings of black bass are being caught from Lovell's pond.

Lee Harnden of Fryeburg Center stayed over Sunday with her classmates, Alice Burbank.

F. O. Wentworth is building an addition to his market to be used for an ice cream room.

R. M. Howe of Oldtown is here and is spending most of his time at his camp on Lovell's pond.

Mrs. Andrew Evans has returned from Massachusetts, where she has been visiting her daughters.

Mrs. Charles Merrill is at North Fryeburg, her old home, and we learn has slightly improved in health.

Clarence Allard, foreman in the chair factory, is moving into the house lately vacated by J. A. R. Wyman on South street.

An informal reception was given the new minister and his wife at the vestry Thursday evening of last week. Ice cream and sherbet were served.

Rev. Mr. Pitts gives a series of sermons on "The Bible" next Sunday evening. The theme for the first night will be, "The Popular Objections to the Bible."

Mrs. C. K. Holmes and sister of Welchville passed through town, Friday last on their way home, having been on a short visit to Mrs. Holmes' daughter, Mrs. C. N. Trundy, at Center Conway, N. H.

S. H. Harriman, manufacturer of dowels, etc., had one of his mills in Chatham burned last week, making the second one burned within two years. A large amount of machinery and manufactured stock was lost.

The school commenced in the new schoolhouse, Monday, May 18, with the following teachers:

Primary—Alice Glines.

Intermediate—Edith Farrington.

Grammar—Miss Marston.

There are about 75 scholars.

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HARRISON.

Memorial Day.
The comrades of John A. Logan Post, Harrison, will observe Memorial Day in the following manner: Sunday, May 24, will meet at Post hall at 1 o'clock sharp, attend divine service at Congregational church, sermon by the pastor, Rev. E. E. Winn.

May 30, meet at hall, 9 o'clock a. m. sharp, march to cemetery where the Post will decorate graves, then go to the church where the address will be given by Rev. Friend Starbird, late of the 29th Maine Reg't. Dinner immediately after the address in the vestry.

The 17th annual convention of the Cumberland Sunday School convention is held at the Congregational church, Thursday, May 21.

Morning.
9.30 Praise service of song, conducted by.....
9.45—Scripture reading and prayer service.....
10.00 Address of Welcome.....
10.30 Business.....
10.45 Report of officers.....
11.00 Report of secretary.....
11.15 School of Methodism.....
11.30 Closing prayer and benediction.....
12.00 Refreshments.....

Afternoon.
1.00 Service of song and prayer.....
1.15 The County's Day and year service.....
1.30 The 20th Century Superintendent.....
1.45 Child Training.....

Evening.
7.00 Praise service of song, conducted by.....
7.15 Prayer.....
7.30 Address of Welcome.....
7.45 Pictorial Talk on the Denver S. S. Convention, with 10 or more slides.....
8.00 Benediction.....

J. S. Blair of Mechanic Falls has opened a laundry in the old tavern stand.

Quite a company went from here to the Sunday School conference at North Bridgton, last week.

The painter, Sam Stuart, is kept very busy. F. H. Archer's store and many private houses are looking fresh and nice in their new coat of paint.

A. F. Davis and sister, Mrs. Patrick, went to Sebago, Sunday, to attend the funeral of their son, Mrs. Chas. Davis. Mrs. Lincoln Walker also went, she being a cousin of Mrs. Davis.

The burning of Clarence P. Willard's buildings at Blackguard causes an assessment for the Harrison Mutual, the first one this year. The company was so fortunate as to have no assessments in 1902.

BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Broke Her Arm.

Ina, a little girl of about ten years, daughter of Mrs. Annie Stokes, broke her arm. On her way home from school Monday night her hat blew off and in getting out of the team, her foot slipped and she fell breaking both bones of the arm above the elbow.

Harry Lowell is in Portland attending court.

Daniel Clark continues poorly being confined to the house.

Eugene Pinkham visited at Fred Weston's the last of the week.

Dr. Austin Tenney, the oculist from Portland, was in the village last week.

Benjamin Skillings and wife went to visit their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Tyler.

Llewellyn Wardwell and wife of Oxford were at George Hancock's, Sunday.

Russell Edwards and family came over from Harrison and visited George Scribner, Sunday.

Mrs. Harriet Mains has opened her house for the summer and is having repairs made.

Wardwell, the photographer of Oxford was showing his work here last week and will have a temporary studio here soon.

The pulpit was occupied Sunday afternoon and evening by Rev. Mr. McFarlane of Naples, who gave a discourse founded upon John 12:23-27. In the evening the text was, "What think ye of Christ?" which furnished the theme for a grand good sermon. The song service was also very inspiring.

NORTHWEST ALBANY.

Ralph Pingree.

Ralph Pingree, the son of C. P. Pingree, died Tuesday, the 12th. He had been poorly for some time. Funeral was held at his home Friday forenoon. Services were conducted by Rev. F. Potter of Bethel. Bearers were Eli Grover, Chas. Dunham, Earle Bartlett and Clyde Whitman. The floral tributes were very pretty. It is a sad loss to his parents. He has been a very good boy, always ready to help.

Duncan McLeod of Portland is stopping at C. W. Rolfe's.

Philip Rolfe of East Waterford visited his parents last week.

Mrs. Nelson Mills is very poorly. She has been sick a long time.

George Rolfe and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rolfe; also Alice Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Cushing of Mason have visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mason.

NORTH BRIDGTON.

Bert Hill has gone to the Rangeley Lake House to work for the summer.

J. L. Mayberry and W. M. Glines were over from Poland with their families.

The ladies' circle met May 20, in the vestry, entertained by Mrs. Charles Hamilton.

The Bridgton-Hebron base ball game, the 18th, resulted in a victory for Hebron. Score 8 to 0.

Harry Kimball, wife and little Elsie from Norway spent a part of last week at Horace C. Kimball's.

Winnie Martin has entered the Insane Hospital at Northampton, Mass., to prepare for a professional nurse.

Burt Foster was at home from Rumford Falls last week. Thursday, with Mrs. W. H. Foster and Annie Stone, he went to attend the funeral of Ralph Pingree, his nephew.

Recent guests at George R. Kimball's have been Mrs. Adeline Kimball and daughter Carrie who is a nurse in Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary; Dr. W. H. Kimball and Fred P. Gould and wife.

WEST PARIS.

A Double Wedding.
Wedding cards again, but this time a double one. Iza and Ina Curtis on the anniversary of their birth, June 16th, left the home of their father, Chandler Curtis, accompanied by two estimable young men, drove to South Paris, where a double wedding was conducted by Rev. J. H. Little, the ring service being used. Iza Loretta Curtis was married to John Albert Porter and Ina Loretta Curtis to Charles Henry Martin. The brides were married in very pretty traveling suits of a new shade of blue with white silk waists and other things to match.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter went to Boston to visit relatives and on their return they will make their home with Mr. Porter's parents, Franklin Porter and wife, on the home farm. Mr. and Mrs. Martin went to Portland and Rumford Falls on their wedding trip. Many useful gifts were received by both parties. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Young have returned home from Portland, where they have been all winter. Mrs. Baker came with them for a few days.

A nice big sign has been painted on the front of the three-story building of the Paris Mfg. Co. which looks very nice. No business sign has ever been put on that manufacturing plant before.

Eugene Hammond and family have moved into the upstairs rent of the Dr. Packard house on Greenwood street. James Boyce has broken up housekeeping for the summer and Mrs. Boyce is going to work for Mrs. Hammond.

Ellie Richardson, who had to lose a finger of one of her left hand by blood poisoning, went to the hospital for treatment about two weeks ago and is now reported to be getting better without further loss. His friends will be glad to hear it.

On account of unavoidable circumstances the County convention of the W. O. T. U. has been changed from Rumford Falls to West Paris and will take place the 3d and 4th of June. Mrs. Margaret Dye Ellis of New Jersey, National Superintendent of Legislation, is expected to speak in the evening.

Mrs. B. M. Edwards spoke on Home Influences at the Mothers' meeting, last Friday, and it was all that could be expected, very helpful and instructive. In the evening she also delivered a very excellent address on "Civilization, past and present, and its dependence upon the purity of the homes." The evening meeting was open to both men and women but for some reason was not fully understood so the gentlemen missed it all.

OTISFIELD.
A Heavy Shower.

A heavy thunder shower passed over this place Monday. All were glad to see the rain as there was a heavy drought prevailing.

Mrs. Josiah Maxfield of Edes Falls is ill with erysipelas.

Rev. Edward Tuck and wife have returned home from New York.

Hiram Edwards and wife visited relatives and friends in Naples recently.

Henry Maxfield of Edes Falls, who worked for the Paris Mfg. Co., last winter, is now working for Lewis Knight of Naples. One day last week he saw 5200 staves.

A light thunder shower at 4.30 p. m., Monday was very welcome.

J. H. Stone and wife of Harrison visited at J. E. Small's, Sunday.

Addie Stone who has been spending the winter in New York City, has returned to town.

E. A. Davis is boarding the black stallion, Alf Wilkes, from Hebron owned by P. V. Everett.

B. H. Dyer and family moved from their winter quarters at East Otisfield, the first of the week.

Rev. C. C. Foster, who has been seeking health in New Hampshire for the past three weeks, will return this week and preach as usual at East Otisfield and Casco village.

SOUTH RUMFORD.

The most "surprised" party at the surprise party given Margie Fleck at Willard Wynman's, May 15, was Miss Fleck herself. Those who surprised her were Mr. and Mrs. John Keene, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Haines, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ordway from Peru Annex, Mr. and Mrs. Wallie Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Abbott, Helen Doughty, Villa Gammon, Will Cole, George, Anthony and Ora Thurston, Arthur Cameron, Lee Elliott, Mr. Burnell and Mr. Morey. Music was furnished by Mr. Burnell who is a fine violinist. Cards, dancing and games were enjoyed. A treat of coffee and cake was served. A beautifully decorated cake with the name "Margie" on it was brought by Hattie Abbott which Miss Fleck will keep as a souvenir of the greatest surprise she ever had.

Charles Adams is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Adams at Rumford.

The East Rumford schools have formed a league, "Count Rumford," and are holding societies, one at Virgil Abbott's May 7, and at Edwin Abbott's May 14, were well attended.

SNOW'S FALLS.

Mrs. Edna Smith is sick.

Several farmers of this vicinity have already planted their corn.

James Shea of the Linen Manufacturing Co., was here a few days this week.

Mrs. Alohonso Germain, who has been visiting at Maplecroft, returned to Boston Monday.

Mrs. John F. Wood went to Portland Monday for a few days to join the daughters of the American Revolution, Boston Chapter.

Mrs. Edwin Newhall, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. C. Mudge, for several weeks, returned Monday to her home at Lynn.

Mrs. John F. Wood and little niece, Dolores Sparks, arrived at Maplecroft, May 9. Mrs. Wood was accompanied by her friends, Mrs. Alphonse Germain and Miss Marcelline.

We were pleased to receive the wedding announcement of Ina L. and Ed L. Curtis of West Paris, twin daughters of B. C. Curtis, formerly of this place, whose double wedding occurred at South Paris on their birthday, May 10.

At the meeting of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, at Portland this week, the Lodges on the roll of honor (those that have gained ten members or more during the year) in this vicinity are Hiram, No. 39, and Hiawatha, No. 49.

ALBANY.

Anniversary Arrangement.
There will be a meeting of the people of Albany at the town house, May 23, to choose a committee and make arrangements for celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of the town.

George Cummings was sick Friday but is now improving.

Will McNally has gone to Boston and is employed on the railroad.

Maud Gould of Cornville, who has been visiting relatives in town, has gone to visit Mrs. Randall Cummings in Bethel.

J. W. Cummings fell from a ladder last week and broke a finger on his left hand and bruised him badly in other places.

Valley Road.
May baskets are plenty.

Mrs. John Wheeler is improving. Frank Upton of Norway is in town. Don Rand is up from Mechanic Falls. A fine time at the L. R. T. entertainment.

G. Grover's side is troubling him badly.

C. A. Grover has been working for G. Grover.

Mrs. Alma Judkins has had a severe cold and cough.

R. M. Grange took in four new members last Saturday.

John Wheeler has been hauling dressing from the camp.

O. H. Saunders and wife were at Grover's Corner recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgley.

C. G. Becker Sunday.

Mrs. Kimball and Mrs. Bruce attended the funeral of Ralph Pingree last Friday.

Albany schools will participate in the memorial exercises at North Waterford.

Henry Plummer and wife were at Grover's Corner Sunday. They reported Mrs. Rose Coolidge as falling.

LOVELL.

Forgot the Fire Apparatus.
Owing to the smoke coming from an open fire into the room there was an alarm of fire at the parsonage, Sunday, while the Sunday school was in session. There was soon quite a crowd at the parsonage but the most of the men forgot the fire extinguishers which they have been keeping carefully charged for an emergency.

J. C. Meserve has given up the cream collecting business and Bennett McDaniels has taken it.

Mrs. Lyman Irish, who was very ill, has recovered and is now at Chatham but was here, Saturday.

Saturday, S. R. Andrews and Bennett McDaniels caught 50 pickers, many of them large ones, on the lower bay of Upper Keazer pond. Others have taken large strings from there.

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Twenty-five words or less, one week, 25 cents; second week, 15 cents; each additional week, 10 cents.
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WANTED I wish to correspond with any Civil Engineer, who can trace old lines correct and will agree to stand behind his work to such party could give some employment. H. O. Holden, Norway, Maine. 25-27

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ONE LOT of extra fine lawn lace stripe, trimmed with two inch lace, one-inch inserting and ruffles, wide flounce, good colors, light, \$2.00, others at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

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